IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.SIRI JAGAN

FRIDAY, THE 20TH APRIL 2007 / 30TH CHAITHRA 1929

WP(C).No. 13597 of 2007(R)

PETITIONER:

L. SARASWATHY, ASSISTANT MANAGER, KERALA STATE CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION, TALUK DEPOT, MAVELIKARA, ALAPPUZHA DISTRICT.

BY ADV. SRI.R.RAJASEKHARAN PILLAI

RESPONDENTS:

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1. THE KERALA STATE CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION, MAVELI BHAVAN, GANDHI NAGAR, COCHIN, REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR.

2. THE REGIONAL MANAGER, KERALA STATE CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION, MAVELI BHAVAN, GANDHI NAGAR, ERNAKULAM.

3. T.K. SIVAPRASAD, ASSISTANT MANAGER, TALUK DEPOT KERALA STATE CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION, CHENGANNUR.

BY ADV. SMT.MOLLY JACOB,SC,SUPPLYCO

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 20 /04 /2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

S.SIRI JAGAN, J

W.P.(C)NO.13597 of 2007

Dated this the 20th day of April, 2007

JUDGMENT

The petitioner is aggrieved by her transfer from Mavelikkara to Chengannur by Ext.P3 order dated 28.2.2007. Though she was not immediately relieved from Mavelikkara, suddenly by an E-Mail communication dated 17.4.2007, the petitioner was ordered to hand over charge to the Junior Manager, even though the third respondent who is to replace her has not been relieved. She also submits that the third respondent is not willing to join at Mavelikkara. The petitioner detailed her difficulties and hardships that may be caused to her, if she is forced to take charge at Chengannur to the 2nd respondent. The petitioner highlights the fact that she is a scheduled caste and she is entitled to special consideration in the matter of transfer. However, for the present, the petitioner seeks only a direction to the first respondent to consider Ext.P4 and pass appropriate orders thereon. In the above circumstances, I direct the first

respondent to consider Ext.P4 and pass appropriate orders thereon, as expeditiously as possible. Till final orders are passed on Ext.P4, the petitioner shall be retained at Mavelikkara.

The writ petition is disposed of as above.

S.SIRI JAGAN, JUDGE

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